

# Hot Weather Cooking Comforts

A hot kitchen is not very comfortable now. Why not come here and let us show you the many appliances that we have for easing your kitchen. For instance a

## FINE OIL STOVE

will prepare meals for you without trouble on your part, and it will make your summer cooking cool and comfortable.

Our Oil Stoves are guaranteed to give you satisfaction and get you out of your kitchen earlier every day.

Why not call and see us.

Jokerst-Yealy Merc. Co.

Price of Gasoline at Stanton Garage 21 cents.

No. 2 new wheat \$1.12 per bushel.

Picnic at Coffman, Saturday, July 22nd.

WANTED—15,000 lbs. scrap iron; also all kinds of junk.

O. L. Manger, of Piedmont, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress, spoke here last Saturday night to a large and appreciative audience.

The Willing Workers gave a farewell party to Misses Mabel and Lillian Keyton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oberle in this city last Thursday evening.

Now is the time to buy your wire fencing while the prices are right, before another advance.

Florence, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Siebert, celebrated her 8th birthday by entertaining a number of her little friends at her home in this city Wednesday evening.

Farms For Sale—Two farms, 110 acres each, three miles west of Ste. Genevieve. Good house and buildings on one. Apply at this office.

The Silver Jubilee of the ordination of Rev. Father F. J. Herkert, Pastor of the Parish of Ozora, was celebrated Wednesday. A large number of people from Ste. Genevieve attended the picnic and celebration.

We furnish CUT FLOWERS for Funerals, Weddings and all Special Occasions.

Stanton Garage this week sold touring cars to Bernard Bieser of Coffman, and Francis J. Cavalieri of Brickley, and runabouts to E. Sabastian of Coffman and Dr. L. J. Haber of Ste. Genevieve.

The Weingarten Parish picnic will be given on Saturday, August 12th.

The Frisco Railroad system was sold at public auction for \$45,700,200 in St. Louis Wednesday. The sale was conducted by Special Master Thomas T. Fauntleroy and the purchasers, Basil B. Elmer and William P. Phillips, represent New York bondholders, identified in the reorganization of the road.

FOR SALE—Farm and house and farm implements 3 miles from Ste. Genevieve on the Bloomsdale road.

Mrs. Charles Metzger. To preserve meat in hot weather, wash it over with very weak vinegar and water, then cover with slices of raw onion. Before cooking remove the onion and rinse the meat in clear water.

Miller's Ice Cream at the Eagle Bakery.

Favorite Incubators and Brooders Sold by HENRY OKENFUS. adv

James Beauchamp of St. Louis arrived here last Saturday night and returned Monday morning accompanied by his wife.

St. Philomena's Parish of Bloomsdale will give their annual picnic on Saturday, Aug. 19th, adv

Seventy-seven counties of the state have organized county centennial committees to arouse interest in the celebration of the centennial of Missouri's statehood which will be held in 1920 and 1921.

The beautiful "Court House" lawn will be the camping grounds for a "Double Enchere" to be given by the Ladies Building Fund on July 25th. The afternoon game will begin at 2 o'clock sharp and the game in the evening at 8 o'clock sharp. We promise a good time for all, both in the afternoon and evening. Refreshments will be served.

Probably at no time in its history has the port of Philadelphia harbored vessels of so many different nations. Some of the flags which floated over ships in the harbor recently were the British, Spanish, Italian, Argentine, Mexican, Russian, Norwegian, French, Austrian, Danish, Dutch, German, Brazilian, Belgian, Swedish, Greek, Japanese, Chilean, Cuban and the Uruguayan.

The earth may give up the secret of the New Madrid earthquakes of 1811-12 if it is not hidden more than 2000 feet below the surface. A well that deep, for oil, is to be bored at Hayti, work to start as soon as the machinery arrives. Experts have long reported indications of oil in abundance there, but this exploration which, it is believed, will also throw light upon the cause and effect of the convulsions of nature rent of the earth to such an extent that the scars remain after more than 200 years.—Poplar Bluff Citizen-Democrat.

## PICNIC AT COFFMAN, MO. SATURDAY, JULY 22nd

Ice Cream, Lemonade and lunch will be served. A fine Dancing Floor and other attractions will be on the grounds. Come out and have a good time. All Candidates are invited. COFFMAN COMMITTEE.

## LYRIC PICTURES

FRIDAY, JULY 21st. "No Place Like Home" with Antrim Short. "Sunlight and Shadow" with Paul Panzer. Also "For the Love of Mike and Rosie."

SUNDAY, JULY 23rd. The loveliest of Stars Louise Lovely in "The Gilded Spider."

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26th. Muriel Ostriche in "A Daughter O' The Sea"

### Died.

Mrs. Mary Oberle, widow of the late Frederick Oberle, died at her home in this city Friday afternoon, July 14, 1916, after a lingering illness, aged 69 years, 1 month and 22 days.

Mrs. Oberle was born in Weilheim in Hohenzollern-Hechingen, Germany, on May 22, 1847, and was the daughter of the late Anthony and Catherine Fleig. She came to this country when 9 years of age and was married to Frederick Oberle at Grand Tower, Ill., on January 6, 1870. Mr. Oberle died in Farmington on August 5, 1882.

The deceased is survived by 7 children, George H. of River aux Vases, Frederick L., Francis A., and Andrew J. (twins), Mary U. Mrs. Max Jogerst, Walter J., Kate R., Mrs. Joseph C. Staacke, of Ste. Genevieve, eleven grandchildren, and one brother, Andrew Fleig, of Festus, Mo., who owing sickness was unable to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Oberle was loved and admired for her womanly qualities and her devotion to her family.

The funeral was held from the Catholic Church at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon and the remains were laid to rest in the Valle Spring Cemetery.

Burns Pratte, aged 20 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pratte, of St. Mary's, died at St. John's Hospital, St. Louis, on Tuesday, July 18, 1916, after undergoing an operation. His remains were brought to his home at St. Mary's and buried Thursday morning from the Catholic Church.

### Opening of The Normal School at Cape Girardeau.

SEPTEMBER 11, 1916.

The Normal School is the one great college of Southeast Missouri, enrolling last year 1,444 students. It offers the following courses:

- Four-year college courses leading to the Normal diploma and college degrees.
- Three-year college course, leading to the Normal diploma, a life state certificate.
- Two-year college course, leading to the Normal diploma, a life state certificate.
- One-year college course, leading to the elementary professional certificate.
- Four-year high school course, leading to the rural school certificate and college entrance.

The Normal School is a college and technical school and offers the most thorough education in the arts and sciences and in Agriculture, Home Economics, Manual Training and Music.

For catalog and further information address, W. S. DEARMONT, President, Cape Girardeau, Mo.

### Card of Thanks.

We offer our heartfelt thanks to all the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted and consoled us during the last illness and at the death of our dearly beloved mother, Mrs. Mary Oberle, now resting in Heaven. Their goodness will ever be remembered.

THE CHILDREN.

### During A Thunderstorm.

Do not use the telephone. The telephone wires may receive a heavy charge.

Keep away from stoves, radiators and the like. They are large metallic masses, likely to become heavily charged.

Avoid screen doors or other metallic bodies connecting with the exterior of the building.

Keep away from chimneys and open screened windows.

Out of doors the most dangerous places are under isolated trees and near wire fences in open fields.

Small sheds and other shelters are dangerous if isolated from larger buildings.

Thick timber is undoubtedly the safest place to seek out of doors, since a single tree in a forest is not so likely to receive a stroke as a single person or an object in an open space of equal area.—Country Gentleman.

### Bottom Land For Sale

3,200 acres cut over bottom land in Butler County, Mo., 120 miles Southeast of Ste. Genevieve. The owners are lumber men and they will sell any quantity from 40 acres up at \$25.00 per acre, one fourth cash and balance on time or all cash. This is the richest land in Missouri and is the greatest opportunity for the man that wants to buy a farm or the man that wants to make a gilt edge investment. I have been over this land several times and I am convinced that this land can not be duplicated considering the quality of soil, price and location. For further information write to me or come and see me and I will go with you and show you the land.

### Financial Statement

of Ste. Genevieve Public School District for the year commencing July 1st, 1915, and ending June 30th, 1916.

TEACHERS' FUND.

Revenue Receipts.

State apportionment and app.	\$ 697.36
County apportionment	119.11
Township apportionment	4.92
Wages	4,823.43
Tuition of non-residents	113.50
Railroad telephone tax	80.62
Total	\$5,849.94

Expenses of Instruction.

Deficit July 1st, 1915	\$ 80.24
Salaries of teachers (May 1st to June 30th)	2,000.00
Salaries of teachers (June 1st to June 30th)	2,115.00
Total	\$2,895.24

Balance on hand July 1st, 1915.....\$ 215.30

INCIDENTAL FUND.

Revenue and Non-revenue Receipts.

Cash on hand July 1st, 1915	72.08
Sale of electric current	7.40
Railroad and telephone taxes	28.76
District taxes	658.81
Total	\$743.05

Operation of School Plant.

Wages of janitors	\$ 471.19
Fuel	133.59
Water and lights	31.51
General Supplies	56.00
Books	31.00
Stationery	9.25
Maintenance of School Plant.	
General repairs	10.58
Tuition of non-residents	15.00
Salaries of janitors	7.40
Miscellaneous expense	8.34
Total	\$802.61

Balance on hand July 1st, 1916.....\$ 32.04

SINKING AND INTEREST FUND.

Receipts and In. fund.

Cash on hand July 1st, 1915	\$1,342.48
District taxes	1,503.28
Total	\$2,845.76

Disbursements.

Payment of bond No. 2	\$1,000.00
Payment of Int. on bonds	479.17
Total	\$1,479.17

Balance on hand July 1st, 1916.....\$ 1,366.59

RECAPITULATION.

Teacher's Fund.

Total receipts for the year	\$5,849.94
Total expenses for the year	5,298.24
Balance on hand July 1st, 1916	\$ 215.30
Total	\$5,849.94

Incidental Fund.

Total receipts for the year	\$743.05
Total expenses for the year	802.61
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Grand total on hand July 1st, 1916.....\$1,615.22

JULIUS PETHQUINN, Clerk of Board.

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Now, at this day comes Arthur C. Hand, the Plaintiff, in the above entitled cause, before the undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court of Ste. Genevieve County, in vacation, and files his petition and affidavit setting forth that the Defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, and that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on her. It is therefore ordered, by me, as clerk aforesaid, in vacation, that publication be made notifying said Defendant, that an action has been commenced against her by petition, in the Circuit Court of Ste. Genevieve County, in the State of Missouri, the object and general nature of said action is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between the parties, plaintiff and defendant, upon the grounds that the defendant has another husband, which was not known to the plaintiff, at the time of said marriage, between the plaintiff and defendant, that defendant has absented herself from the space of one year previous to the filing of said petition, and unless she be and appear at the next term of this Court to be held in the Court House in the City of Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, on the 18th day of October next, to-wit: the 23rd day of October, 1916, and on or before the first day of said term of Court answer or plead to the said petition the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered according.

It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week in the FAIR PLAY, a newspaper printed and published in the County of Ste. Genevieve, State of Missouri, for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least 30 days before the commencement of the next term of this Court. Given under my hand this 18th day of July, A. D. 1916.

A. TRUE COPY. FELIX J. RIGDON, Circuit Clerk.

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### Notice of Final Settlement.

Creditors and all others interested in the estate of Mrs. Lucy St. Gem, deceased, are hereby notified that I intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Ste. Genevieve county, Missouri, to be held at the Court House in said county, on the second Monday in August, A. D. 1916.

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## BOVERIE STORE CO. OPPOSITE COURT HOUSE

John O'Shea and wife of St. Louis were the guests of his mother and sister in our city last Sunday.